

WESTERN MASSACHUSETTS ELECTRIC COMPANY

MDTE No. 1015 ~~DE~~
Cancels MDTE No. 1015 ~~CD~~

INTERRUPTIBLE RIDER APPLICABLE TO SCHEDULES R-1, R-3, R-2 AND R-4 FOR CONTROLLED WATER HEATING

APPLICABILITY:

This Rider is applicable to customers who have in regular use an electric water heater which meets the Company's requirements set forth below and which is the sole source of energy for domestic hot water service.

In such case, a credit will be applied to the Distribution Charges of Schedule R-1, R-3, R-2, or R-4 each month as follows:

<u>Monthly kWh</u>	<u>Monthly Credit per Bill</u>	
	<u>Single Element Control</u>	<u>Dual Element Control</u>
401-600	\$1.36	\$1.81
601 or more	\$2.71	\$3.62
601 or more	\$3.18	\$4.25

WATER HEATER REQUIREMENTS:

Water heaters shall have a storage capacity of not less than eighty (80) gallons, shall be equipped with upper and lower heating elements, each of 5,500 watts or less, controlled by thermostats so connected or interlocked that they cannot operate simultaneously. The Company reserves the right to install equipment to limit the operation of such heating elements to such hours as the Company may deem advisable. A copy of the Company's controlled electric water heater specifications are available upon request.

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dated January 5, 2000 After January 1, 2000 For Consumption C
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